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Children's suits formerly sold at $2.00, now	1 50
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Choice of our finest Jersey suits, formerly sold from $3.00 to $6.00, now $2 50

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Removal Sale!

We will remove to the new Labold Building, 307 and 309 Chillicothe street, on about May 10th. In the meantime we want to reduce our stock as much as possible and have made some specially low prices to move them quick



Men's Suits formerly sold at $5, now $ 4

Men's Suits formerly sold at $7.50, now $ 5

Men's Suits formerly sold at $10, now $ 8

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Every article here advertised is a bargain and will save the buyer good money.

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Men's Stiff Hats, small shapes, a little out of style, formerly sold from $1.50 to $2.50, choice now for any of them - 48c

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MEN'S STRAW HATS from 25c to the finest.

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Men's good strong Working Pants, special values at 60c, 75c, 85c, 90c, $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50.

Men's Fine Cassimere and Worsted Pants, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00, $3 50, $4.00, $4.50 and $5.00.

Men's Shirts

Men's Soft Shirts, formerly sold at 50c, now	45c
Men's Soft Shirts, formerly sold at 35c, now	25c
Men's Soft Shirts, formerly sold at 25c, now	18c

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PERSONAL.

Joe Hart, of Ironton, was here over Sunday.

Trus Becker was up from Cincinnati over Sunday.

Miss Martha McGuirk spent Sunday with friends at Wheelersburg.

Mrs. Will Ware went to Cincinnati this morning to do some shopping.

Robert Clutts and W. J. Henry, of Haverhill, are in the city today on business in court.

Miss Clara Glatz, stenographer for J. P. Purdum, is visiting friends in Wheelersburg.

Mrs. F. L. Johnson, of West Sixth street, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Rodgers, at Ironton.

Anselm Mathews and daughter Ione and Hattie, of Jackson, were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Drake.

Lou Nichols and Harry Miller returned last evening from a trip to Ironton and Huntington on their wheels.

D. Livingstone, Esq., leaves Tuesday for Zanesville, where he will attend the Atwell-Johnson wedding Wednesday.

Frank Wirt and Wm. Fitzgerald returned last evening from a visit to Chillicothe, making the trip on their wheels.

J. K. Peyton has returned from a five weeks' trip up in West Virginia in the interest of the Portsmouth Tinware company.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Peebles and daughter, Miss Mary, who have spent the winter in Florida and Nassau, will return home Wednesday.

POLICE COURT NEWS.

Will Corwin, an employe of the Kentucky Fire Brick company, had some trouble Sunday with one Mrs. Kerr, of Eleventh street. He called her names and she had him arrested. He said his name was Jones when locked up. His fun cost him $6.80.

Frank Moeller, a well dressed Kentuckian, was found on the street intoxicated Sunday. He paid $4.80. When asked by the mayor where he got his whisky he colored up and finally said he met a friend on a C. & O. train who had a bottle.

Roy Reed, an old soldier, living on Offnere street, made trouble at home Sunday night by frightening his wife and children out of the house with a razor. He was fined $5 and costs.

Mrs. Kerr, who lives at 12 Eleventh street, was brought before the mayor to answer to a charge of disorderly conduct. It was in her house that Corwin was arrested Sunday. She pleaded not guilty and her trial is set for Wednesday.

Officer Heisel ran in a tramp thief this afternoon. He gave his name as Weltz. He and another hobo stole a suit of clothes and some other things from John Dihlman. Heisel will bring the other fellow in tonight.

The police here have been notified to be on the lookout for Jas. Beall, who killed his wife at Ironton Sunday afternoon. He met her in the street and shot her three times through the head. He jumped an N. & W. train and escaped arrest. He is well known here, having worked in the Ohio stove foundry.

Marshal Watkisn left this afternoon for Cincinnati in response to a telegram from Chief Deitsch stating that John Doe, who stole about $75 worth of rope from Albert Evans, of the West Side, was held under arrest. Doe has been wanted for several months.

Diphtheria Takes Two.

One week ago Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Montavon, of Eighth and Court streets, lost their two-year-old daughter with diphtheria. Yesterday they were called upon to mourn the loss of a second child, Frank, with the same dread disease. The only remaining child, the baby, is also very low and not expected to live. This is the only case of diphtheria in the city.

To Have a Jury Trial.

The case of John Lowe against Frank White for money, came up in 'Squire Shakespeare court this morning. Lowe dug some drain ditches for Mr. White but the latter claims did not do a good job. Accordingly White refused to pay and Lowe sued him. The case will be heard by a jury Thursday afternoon.

They Got a Few.

Dolph and Pierce Frederick broke the frogging record yesterday. They started out in the afternoon in their light canvass boat and returned in the evening with forty-six live frogs beauties too. The mass would make the mouth of any frog lover water.

Gates-Spencer Wedding May 7th.

The announcement is made today that Miss Hattie, daughter of W. W. Gates, and Mr. Louis Spencer, son of County Recorder Spencer, will be married at noon Thursday, May 7th.

At the C. P. & V. Office.

Frank Hulick will look after the C. P. & V. freight business while Mr. E. H. Shaw is off on his wedding trip.

Bob Martin, of Henley, will assist in the office, being at the operator's desk.

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The neatest and best-fitting clothing can always be had at Haas, Schwartz & Co.'s.

Gilt papers cheaper than common at Schloss & Co.

THE SENSATION

Promised in the Pearl Bryan Case Appeared Today.

A Man Who Took the Girl's Dead Body From Cincinnati to Newport.

Gives the Details of the Trip Showing That She Died in Ohio—His Testimony Materially Weakened on Cross Examination—An Interesting Day in the Famous Trial.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Newport, Ky., May 4.—J. B. Locke, owner of the farm where Pearl Bryan's body was found, testified that he found two spots of blood on the ground and also saw blood on the privet bushes. He said that he saw carriage tracks on the grass beside the road at the place where the body would naturally be taken from the carriage to be taken to the place where it was found. He looked on the road in the direction away from Cincinnati to see where the carriage turned, but found no marks. This corroborated Geo. H. Jackson, who said that the carriage turned in the other direction.

The defense put on the stand Geo. Dayton, a bar-tender, who proved unable to give any testimony of any value. On cross examination he identified a letter he had received from John Seward, of Somerset, Ky., who has been working in the interest of Scott Jackson. The defense objected to its introduction, and the jury was sent out and the court informed that the letter gave the witness minute directions what he should swear to if called at the trial. The court ruled that the letter could not be admitted. Seward is said to have collected proof that Pearl Bryan was dead before the body left Ohio.

The promised sensational evidence that Pearl Bryan died in Cincinnati was produced in the testimony of William R. Trusty, of Urbana, Ill. He said that he was a brakeman on the Southern road. He met Emma Evans, of Cincinnati, the night of the murder and they were joined by an old doctor, a friend of the woman, who employed Trusty to drive his carriage. They went to a house on George street, where the old doctor carried a dead body out of the house and put it in the carriage. Trusty and the doctor then drove to Locke's farm, where the doctor took the body out of the carriage, took it over a fence, and they returned to the city. Trusty received $10. He said that the horse was a gray one and the carriage similar to the one described by witness Geo. Jackson. Afterwards Trusty went to Illinois where he told his story to his father, who referred the matter to John Seward, of Somerset, Ky., who has done work as a detective.

On cross examination it was shown that Trusty's father had written to Pearl Bryan's father recommending Seward as the man who could solve the mystery. He referred the matter to Hayes, his attorney, who afterwards had letters from Trusty, soliciting employment, and saying that he, his father and Seward could give testimony to thwart the effort of the defense to show that Pearl Bryan died in Cincinnati.

A LAUGHABLE ROW.

George McGill and George Miler Fight It On Saturday, on Kentucky Soil.

A laughable row took place between George McGill and Geo. Miler Saturday evening late. Miler and his sister, Mrs. Josephine Irvin, came over from Springville Saturday to visit the McGills, and Miler improved the occasion to get drunk. When he and his sister started home the McGills started with them. When they got down to the river, McGill and Miler had a row about which should row. Being afraid of the stone pile, which loomed up in the distance, they concluded to go over to Kentucky and fight it out. This they did, Miler crossing on the ferry-boat and McGill in the skiff. McGill came out ahead, giving Miler an awful thumping. McGill then went on to Miler's sister's and spent Sunday.

A Base Ball Game.

The Crescent base ball club has completed all arrangements with the Lucasville Eagles. The Crescents will play them next Saturday, May 9th, on their grounds. The Crescents have a strong team and hope to bring a victory home. The teams will go on the diamondas follows:

Crescents—Kaylor, catcher; Pfau, pitcher; Minnego, short stop; Dixon, first base; Kountz, second base; Doyle, third base; Brennen, left field; Brunner, center field; Duplain, right field.

Eagles—Rickey, catcher; Brant, pitcher; Schoonore, short stop; Busker, first base; Wood, second base; Craine, third base; Johnson, left field; Yaeger, center field; McKinley, right field.

A Sudden Death.

Mrs. John Russ died very suddenly at her home near Sciotoville yesterday evening. She had spent the day with her daughter in Sciotoville and had just returned home when she fell dead from heart disease. She was about 60 years of age and was the mother of Mrs. Andy Hunster. Her husband is a well known market man.

Pupils' Recital.

The pupils of Miss Mary A. Allman will give their annual recital in Knittle's hall on the evening of May 6. The program will be published later.

Don't fail to ask for prices on the shoes displayed in our window.
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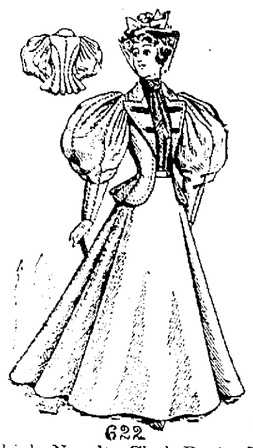
See Haas, Schwartz &co., for fine summer suits before you buy.

Greater as it Grows.

The stock reducing sale of Spring Capes, Tailor Made Suits and Skirts has grown to be a thing of mammoth proportions—a money saving, money spending, money making carnival that smashes into splinters all Cloak Records made since Portsmouth was a baby. We are continually putting kindling under the Price Boiling Kettle to keep the prices hot until the stock is boiled down. Better come and get your Cape while the fire is hot.

Consult Your Diary

It will reveal the fact that most of our chilly evenings we have in May. The time to wear a Spring Cape is just coming, but the time to sell them is drawing to a close and we will not carry any over to next season, another reason of the lowness of these prices.



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Ladies' Cloth Circle Capes, price $1.00, now	59c
Ladies' Cloth Circle Cape, trimmed in Schoutssh Braid, price $1.50, now	98c
Ladies' Cloth Circle Cape trimmed in Silk Lace and Ribbon, price $3.00, now	$1 50
Fine Black Imported Clay Worsted Cloth Cape, sold at $6.00, now	$3.49
Brocaded Silk Circle Cape, lined with Changeable Silk Lining, a bargain at $5.00, reduced to	$3.49
Gro Grain Silk Circle Capes, fancy Silk Lining, sold at $8.50, now	$5.00
Extra Fine Satin Cape, trimmed in Cut Jet, former price $13.50, now	$7.50

Tailor made Suits in Black Ladies' Cloths big value at $6.00, our price $3.75

Tailor made, all wool Serge Blazer Suits sold for $9, our price $6.50

Light Novelty Cloth Reefer Suits sold for $10, $12 and $15, reduced to.....$6.00, $7.50 and $9.00

Our Separate Skirts are selling fast at prices lower than the goods would cost you. Come in and examine them, see how well made and how perfect fitting they are, and you will never go to the trouble of having one made.

Shirt Waists are all the go. If you wish to see a nice well selected line, you can not afford to miss seeing our line. We have them as low as 29c, as good as you get elsewhere at 50c. Our Lawn and Dimity patterns Shirt Waists are the newest and neatest fabrics.

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The three story and basement brick building, 20x125 feet, recently occupied by us at 134 West Second street. A splendid building in a first class location. Possession given at once at a reasonable rental

Wash Dress Goods

New styles in Persian and Linen Effects in Dimities, Lawns, Chameleons, Organdies, Lappet Lace, Printed Warp Effects, Ginghams, Etc.

SPECIAL

Tuesday and Wednesday from 9 to 12:30 we will sell printed Lawns in 10 yard patterns at 39c each. Only one pattern to each customer. Cocoa served today and tomorrow free at our cocoa-booth and also a can of cocoa and book of recipes given to each lady.

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ROSE COLLECTION—
19 for $1.00, better roses 14 for $1.00, the best 12 for $1.00.

WORLD'S FAIR CANNAS—
15c to 25c each.

GERANIUMS—
5c to 15c each for best bedders. Bruant or large flowering 15c to 25c each.

MOON VINES—
Large white, 10c to 15c each.

PYGONIAS—
Best new and old, 5c to 25c each.

CALLA LILLIES—
10c to 30c each in bud or bloom. Auratum, rubrum, speciorum album, 25c to 60c, large bulbs.

Salvias, 5c; bedding carnations, 8c; petunias, 10c; fuchsias, 5c up; Paris daisies, oranges, heliotropes; coleus, verbenas, lantanas, tuberoses, gladiolas, caladiums and a large selection of all kinds of other flowers, all sizes, and prices.

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SEEBOHM & COMPANY,
Corner Second and Chillicothe Streets.

Sunshine and Roses

Have sprung forth in our store. We have flowers to put on your Hat or Bonnet, suitable for a queen, and can trim your Hat or Bonnet in one of our original designs and make you look as though you were a person of fashion, and the cost will be less than you'll expect.

EMMA ZOTTMAN.

SIX TELEGRAMS

That Tell About an Ohio Drummer Suiciding at St. Louis.

Majority Report Favoring Admission of Women to Methodist Conference.

Harrison's Invitation to Address the Indiana State Convention, Dupont Winning Delaware Senatorial Fight—A Street Car Strike and a Probable Adams Express Co., Strike.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

St. Louis, May 4.—Samuel Bissell, as salesman for H. B. Claflin & Co., of New York, threw himself from the third story window of a hotel, killing himself. The family formerly lived at Wooster, Ohio.

The Methodists Favor Arbitration.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Cleveland, May 4.—Bishop Merrill, presided over the general conference of the M. E. church today. A resolution favoring arbitration for all English speaking countries was adopted and a copy ordered sent to the president.

The four women delegates presented a paper relinguishing their right to a place in the conference until the conference should settle the matter. The majority report of the committee favored their eligibility. The minority report took a different view. The discussion of the report begins this afternoon.

Harrison's Invitation.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Indianapolis, May 4.—An invitation has been presented to Ex-President Harrison to address the state convention, which meets here Thursday. Harirson has not yet indicated his reply.

Dupont the Winner.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, D. C., May 4.—The senate decided by a vote of 32 to 31 to take up the resolution seating Dupont as senator from Delaware. All the Democrats and three Populists voted for the motion. By unanimous consent it was postponed until after the river and harbor bill passed.

ADAMS EXPRESS CO. STRIKE.

Ten Thousand Men May Strike on Account of New Regulations.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

New York, May 4.—There is talk of a strike of the employees of the Adams Express company, including the drivers, porters and clerks, and involving, if the strike becomes general, ten thousand men. The trouble arises over reductions in salaries, change of working hours and other new regulations.

A Street Car Strike.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Milwaukee, May 4.—The strike of street car employees stopped all but half a dozen cars today.

We have just received 10,000 feet of garden hose of various grades,
E. S. JENKINS & CO.,
128 W. Second street.

Have you seen the dainty styles in ladies' shoes in Kendall's window?

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

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J. L. PATTERSON, Editor and Manager.

Vol. 1, No. 1, of the Catlettsburg Daily Democrat, has made its appearance on our exchange table, and we are pleased to note that it is a sprightly youngster, with a liberal patronage, and if it receives the encouragement it should from the people of that bustling little city, will grow old in the good work it has commenced.

The Toledo Bee, a strong Republican paper, with the redeeming feature of telling the truth, at least in the following, has this to say about the tariff:

"While there is a tariff of seventy-six per cent. on starch, reduced from about one hundred per cent. by the Wilson bill, last year our starch manufacturers sold in England and Europe about twelve million pounds of this product. Our manufacturers compete successfully with the foreign labor, but the duty is designed to keep the foreigners from competing with us, and the result is that we have a starch trust which keeps up the prices and many mills idle to regulate the supply. In this manner the trust reduces the demand for labor and increases the price of the article beyond a legitimate figure. Yet McKinley would increase the tariff.

The Chicago Tribune, the most influential Republican newspaper of the West, has this to say of the man of desti-nit: "The men who have the business brains of the country, who have been successful in the management of their own affairs, and who are interested immediately in the well being and increasing prosperity of all branches of industry, have set their faces like a flint against McKinley. Why? Because they want a candidate whose mottto will be "Let us have industrial peace." The business men of this country are still sore from the bruises and buffetings of recent years. They want to be let alone for a time. They fear McKinley, for they are afraid he is still addicted to McKilneyism, and that his election would be followed by a repetition of the events of 1890 and subsequent years.

While pinning their faith to the McKinley kite, it may be well for our Republican friends to remember that bigger booms than that of McKinley have come to grief. James G. Blaine, a statesman, and a man, the latchets of whose shoes McKinley is not worthy to unloose, had a boom. He was called the American of Americans, the "Plumed Knight," and he was nominated. The Republican journals declared that he would be the next President, that the Democratic party was dead, that Cleveland was only a hangman from Albany, that he was not known outside of New York, and all that, but the Plumed Knight fell before the "Man of Destiny" in the battle of ballots. The Little Napoleon will meet his Wellington in the choice of the Democratic party for President, no matter who it is, and his Waterloo in November. Mark this down in your little book.

Treasury returns for March show that the exports of cotton, breadstuffs, mineral oils and provisions, which are the four principal classes of domestic products exported exclusive of manufactures, were valued at $46,286,126, or $6,002,287 more than the shipments of similar merchandise in March last year. For nine months of the present fiscal year the total exports of the above items were valued at $427,406,368, against $402,257,111 in the corresponding period in 1894-5. Details for other exports are not yet available; but if the shipments of manufactures were no larger last month than they were in February the aggregate for the expired three-quarters of the fiscal year will be over $161,000,0000, against $182,000,00 during the corresponding period in the previous year. The foreign trade figures are highly encouraging, and the growth of exports, of manufactured products especially, is a convincing disproof of protectionist blather about the decadence of industrial enterprise under the Wilson tariff.—Springfield Daily Democrat.

The Ironton Republican gets off the following jumble of misstatements regarding the shipment of flower to Brazil under the McKinley law and later under the Wilson law:

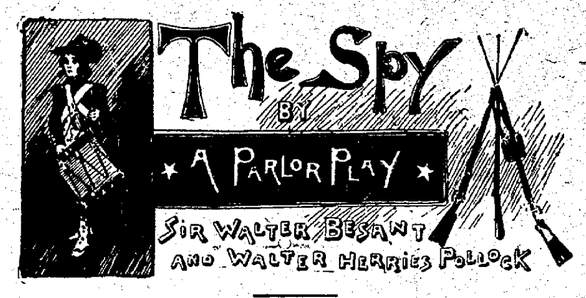
In 1893, when the McKinley bill with its reciprocity features was in force, the shipments of flour from Baltimore to Brazil were 940,000 barrels, an increase of 258,000 barrels over 1890. During the first year after the McKinley bill was repealed the shipments fell off over 100,000 barrels, and they have been falling off steadily ever since. This is the way the Democratic administration redeemed its promise to the farmers of dollar wheat. The Irontonian is respectfully requested to make a note of this.

If the Irontonian makes any note of the above as the Republican requests, it will probably give the following facts instead of a lot of falsehoods as the Republican does:

During the fiscal year, 1893, the total exports of wheat flour to Brazil were 887,039 barrels instead of 940,000 barrels. Here is a little falsehood of 102,961 barrels. The further falsehood, and the Republican certainly knows it, is that instead of decreasing, the eight months ending Feb. 29, 1896, the exports of flour to Brazil amounted to 620,211 barrels, a gain over the corresponding period of 1895 of 84,064 barrels. At this rate the exports of flour to Brazil will exceed those of 1893 both in volume and value. Why do not Republican papers tell the truth once in awhile, anyhow?

All Recommend It.

Ask your physician, your druggist and your friends about Shiloh's Cure for Consumption. They will recommend it. For sale by Amann's Pharmacies.



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DRAMATIS PERSONAE.

Georges Cadoudal, Leader in the Vendee War.
Michel Le Robine, Sergeant. Foster brother of Madeleine.
Mehee de la Touche, The Spy.
Peasant soldiers, etc.
Madame, Landlady of the Inn.
Annette, Her Servant.
Madeleine des Lieux Saints, Fiancee of Cadoudal.
Time, The War of Vendee.
Place. The principal room of the Inn of Lokmariaker.

ACT I.

SCENE.

Summer evening. Window at back with long bench or chairs underneath it. Doors R and L. The Landlady seated in a high-backed chair looks on, knitting all the time. Men in rustic garb with belts and cartridge boxes and side arms, each carrying a gun, come in gradually half a dozen or more. They take off their hats to Madame; they shake hands with each other; they stack their guns in the corner and sit down in twos and threes, playing cards, dominoes, etc., at the back. Annette behind bench at R, corner has an earthenware tub in front of her in which she is shredding vegetables and cutting bread for next day's soup.

Landlady. They will be here presently. Annette, if the Captain and Mamzelle want to be alone go into the garden and cut lettuces.

Annette. Yes, Madame.

Landlady. The tender lambs! They see so little of each other, Annette.

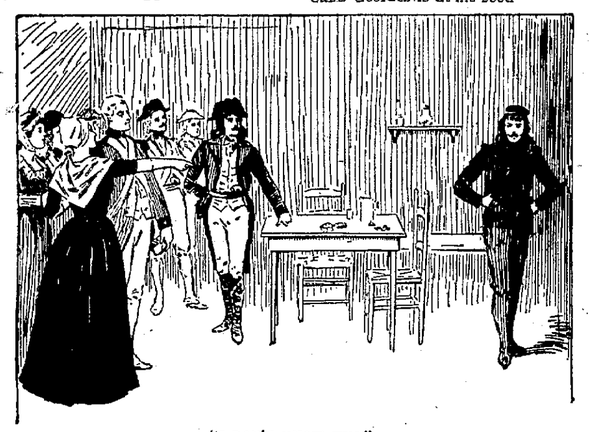
Annette. Yes, Madame.

Landlady. In case the Captain takes his supper here, be ready with a chicken to roast.

Annette. Yes, Madame.

Landlady. Ah me! The poor fellows must needs sup off broken heads or worse on the campaign.

(At the window appears the face of Mehee de la Touche. He wears a sailor's jersey, black hair over his forehead and hanging on his shoulders and a red flannel cap: a pale face. He peers about, steps round to the door and enters.)



"I DON'T KNOW HIM."

Mehee. Good morning, Madame.

Landlady. Good morning, friend. I don't know you. Where do you come from?

Mehee. From Sarziau—on the other side of Morbihan. My name is Jacques Candenac.

Landlady. Well, Jacques Candenac, what is your business? Have you been in the king's navy?

Mehee. No—in fact—Hush! (Points to Annette.)

Landlady. You needn't mind Annette. In this part of the world we are all true. You ought to know that, if you are a good Breton.

Mehee. Well—the fact is, we've got as fast a boat as runs across the channel, and we load her with brandy—Now you know.

Landlady. Well, there's no harm in that. And what are you doing here?

Mehee. I want to join Georges Cadoudal. He is in the village, is he not?

Landlady. Perhaps he is—perhaps he is not.

Mehee. I cross the Channel to-morrow. I can take letters for him.

Landlady. Well—sit down. (Aside) Humph! I don't like your looks, Jacques Candenac. (Mehee goes to the door, looks up and down the road curiously—takes out pocketbook, makes notes.) Annette, come here, child. You know Sarziau—is there anyone there named Jacques Candenac—contrabandist?



"ANYONE THERE NAMED JACQUES CADENAC, CONTRABANDIST?"

Annette. No, madame. No one.

Landlady. Then hold your tongue. (Mehee returns.)

Mehee. A cup of cider, madame, if you please.

Landlady. Annette, cider.

(Enter First Soldier.)

First Soldier. Good morning, madame. (Puts his musket in corner behind door.)

Landlady. Good morning. Annette, cider.

(Enter Second Soldier.)

Second Soldier. Good morning, madame... (Puts his musket behind door.)

(Enter three more soldiers.)

Soldiers. Good morning, madame.

Landlady. Good morning, friends. Annette, cider. Three.

(The men drink about and sing.)

The Blues are on their way,
They think of yesterday;
They think of what to plunder and to borrow—
They do not count the cost
Of what must be won and lost
When the reckoning shall come upon the morrow!

(Enter Michel le Robine.)

Michel. Steady, boys, steady. Not too much cider. (Shakes hands with the Landlady.) The Captain will be here directly.

Men. (All together.) The captain! Capt. Georges!

Michel. Well spoken, men! There's no captain like Capt. Georges—not one in the world.

Men. Not one! Not one!

Michel. Who is it makes the Blues to break and fly? The captain! Who leads us on to victory after victory? The captain!

Men. The captain! The captain!

(Enter Madeleine.)

Michel. Mamzelle, you are welcome! The place is rough, but the hearts are true!

Madeleine. Brave soldiers—I come to wish you God speed.

Michel. We are all of us your servants, mamzelle, and none more than Michel le Robine—your foster brother.

(She holds out her hand. He kisses it.)

Landlady. Annette—cider!

(Annette offers pannakin to Madeleine who raises it.)

Madeleine. Friends and brothers all. (Drinks) To the king!

Men. To the king!

Madeleine. To the captain! (Drinks.)

Men. To the captain! (Drink.)

(Enter Paul, the village fiddler.)

Landlady. Welcome, Paul. You come just in time to give us some music.

(Paul sits down and begins to play. Madeleine holds up hand to command silence—steps into the midst.)

Madeleine. (Taking stage) Gentlemen of the Vendean army, attention! (Sings)

So long as we draw breath
We will fight the Blues to death,
Their Master is the Master of to-day,
But to-morrow has to come,
And with to-morrow's drum
We shall know what to think of Vendee.
Vendee for ever! We separate and sever
From the tyrant who is leading to our fall.
We hold to the right, and may Heaven give us might.
And our captain, our Captain over all!

(Business of presenting arms.)

Capt. Georges is a man,
Capt. Georges can act and plan,
The Corsican is triumphing to-day,
But he counts without his host,
Capt. Georges is at his post.
Capt. Georges, Capt. Georges for Vendee!
Vendee for ever! Yield shall we never!
Though the tyrant may have millions at his call,
We hold to the right, and may Heaven grant us might,
But our captain, our captain over all!

(Paul goes on playing. One or two of the men get up and execute a clumsy dance.)

Madeleine. (To Michel, down stage) There is trouble in your eye, my friend. I saw it when I came in.

Michel. The captain has discovered treachery. There are villains abroad.

Madeleine. Here? Among our brave Bretons?

Michel. Traitors creep in everywhere. The captain's plans have been betrayed. We shall move on at once—this evening. The rendezvous has been suddenly changed.

Madeleine. Do they suspect anyone?

Michel. I do not know for certain whom the captain suspects. But, mamzelle, people speak but ill of your cousin—M. Mehee de la Touche.

Madeleine. Alas! that I have to own that cousin. Wherever he goes treachery and murder follow in his track. What of him? (With a tone of anxious terror.)

Michel. The captain has been told that Mehee had left Paris on a secret mission hither.

Madeleine. He would not dare.

Michel. He does not want for daring of that kind. He has been an agent for the emigres and betrayed them. He had been agent for the French republic and betrayed them, too. He corresponds with the English government and sells their secrets to the French.

Madeleine. Why should he come here?

Michel. To get hold of the captain's intentions; to inveigle the Chouans to their destruction; to learn where the army of the emigres will land. There is a great deal, mamzelle, for your cousin to do.

Madeleine—Well—he will be discovered—and then—

Michel. Short work. His back to a wall. A platoon in front of him.

Men. (All jump to their feet.) The captain! The captain!

Enter Georges Cadoudal, about five and twenty—military bearing and dress, carrying cutlass and pistols. Looks round, salutes the men.)

Cadoudal. Good. There are more outside. The village has done well.

Michel. Not another man left in it, captain.

Cadoudal. All men of Lokmariaker!

Landlady. I know them all, captain. Good men and true—except that white faced man in the corner. I don't know him.

Michel. Ah! Come out—you white-faced fellow. (Steps over and lays hands on his shoulder and brings him before the captain.)

Cadoudal. So, sir, who are you?

Landlady. He says that he is named Jacques Candenac, from Sarziau. There is no one of that name known at Sarziau.

Cadoudal. Indeed!

Landlady. Says he is a smuggler. They are all smugglers in Sarziau, but there is no Jacques Candenac among them.

Cadoudal. Show him to the men, Michel. See if they know him. (They all look at him and shake their heads.)

Cadoudal. (Down stage with Madeleine.) My dear, all promises well. There will be a descent in a week or two by the English fleet with 5,000 emigres. This time we shall give a final account of the Blues. Hoche will find the Chouans too much for him.

Madeleine. Five thousand emigres? Oh! It is splendid.

Cadoudal. But, sweetheart, there is treachery abroad. At every point I learn that troops are gathered in numbers that show design, not accident. If I could only lay my hands on the traitors!

Madeleine. Courage, Georges. A traitor is always found sooner or later.

Cadoudal. Meantime, the mischief may be done.

(Outside bugle and roll of a drum. Men all jump up, take muskets and go out. Voice of command heard.)

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Resolved: That we tender to the bereaved wife and children our heartfelt sympathy in this, their hour of mourning.

Resolved: That as a token of our regard, the Post hall be draped for the usual period, and that a copy of these resolutions be furnished the family of our deceased comrade, and also furnished the city papers for publication.

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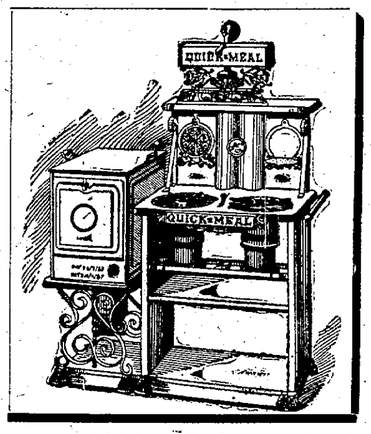
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The practice of publishing medical testimonials is certainly not a new one; in fact, the subject is well nigh threadbare, the columns of every paper being full of them. Nevertheless, occasionally a case appears of so interesting and remarkable a character as to merit special attention. Of such a character is the experience of Mrs. E. L. Lounsbury, of Olympia, in far off Washington, who now resides at No. 111 Maple Park, in that city.

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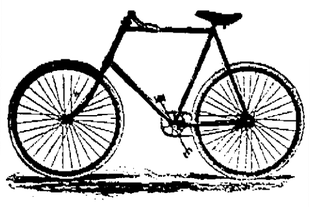
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Y. M. C. A.

The Special Anniversary Services in the Various Churches.

Interesting Addresses by Mr. Bierce of Dayton and Revs. Snodgrass and Dick —The Work Presented in Interesting and Effective Style—Some Association Notes.

Yesterday was Y. M. C. A. day in the various churches of this city, the "association week" festivities closing with this formal celebration of the third anniversary of the association. Nearly all the pastors preached special sermons in the morning, their themes having reference to the objects and work of the association. G. N. Bierce, of Dayton occupied the pulpit of the Second Presbyterian church. In the evening two mass meetings were held, one at the Sixth street M. E. church and the other at the First Presbyterian. At both churches large audiences enjoyed the services. A male quartet sang at both churches, and each had other special music. At the Sixth Street church Mr. Bierce was the speaker. He is an enthusiastic Y. M. C. A. man and an interesting speaker. His talk abounded with illustrations from personal observation that impressed the points he made in a most effective manner. He dwelt at some length on the advantages to be gained from having an association building, giving the gratifying results that had followed the erection of a building in his own city. Nine years ago the building was thought to be such as to anticipate the wants of the next fifty years. However, even now every inch of it is occupied, even the cellar and the tower, which was intended more as an ornament. He illustrated the benefit from each department of the work, social, educational, spiritual and physical, by personal experiences and made a plea for a deeper interest in the work in this city.

At the First Presbyterian church Revs. Dick, of the Bigelow M. E., and Snodgrass, of the First Baptist churches, were the speakers. Mr. Dick talked on the principles underlying the work and the objects of the association generally. Mr. Snodgrass followed with a most interesting address referring particularly to the Portsmouth association. His talk evidenced a careful study and thorough knowledge of the local situation and was a most valuable and entertaining one. He quoted figures showing the actual work accomplished, made some pointed comparisons, and considered in detail the several departments of the association work.

The meetings will doubtless result in an increased interest in this important institution and a material growth of the work.

SOME ADDITIONAL MEMBERS.

In the list of members of the Y. M. C. A., published in the Times list last week, the names of Wm. Fitzgerald, Lou Lowry and J. D. Fuller were omitted. Since that time the following members have been received:

John C. Homes, jr., Clifford Brooks, Henry Davis, Geo. Ferguson, James McMahon, E. G. Williams, Fred Distleroth, Morgan Jones, Martin Bergin, Henry Webb, Jos. P. Krouse, Samuel Smith, Chas. Buechler, W. L. B. Jack, Henry Krause, Jno. Krause, Geo. F. Holman, Wm. C. Glasgow, Nicholas Toomey, Royal Williams, Wm. N. Mathins, W. R. Price, Geo. G. Wood.

A BASE BALL MEETING.

The base ball fiends will meet at the association rooms this evening for the purpose of organizing a club. All interested are requested to be on hand by 8:30 o'clock.

THE BALL TEAM

Members Report for Duty Today and Will Begin Practicing Tomorrow Afternoon.

The members of the base ball club, which is to uphold Portsmouth's cause on the diamond this year, were to report for duty today, and most of them showed up. The remainder will be in tomorrow and they will practice for the first time tomorrow afternoon. Capt. Severs will do some hard work between now and Sunday to get his team in shape for the opening game with the Cincinnati Navies.

Mead, a clever second baseman, who played with Higginsport last year, has been signed by Capt. Severs.

The following players will report: Claggett, from Waverly, will likely catch; Dunham pitcher; Capt. Severs, first base; Mead, from Higginsport, second base, and Brooker, third base; The remainder of the team will be selected from the following: Cockerill, Bendel, Row, of Waverly, Freck, of Columbus, and Farley.

VERY SUCCESSFUL

And Profitable Was the Baptist Sunday School Convention.

The Sunday school convention at the Second Baptist church closed Saturday evening. The next meeting will be held in Circleville the last Friday, Saturday and Sunday in October. The following delegates and visitors were in attendance: James A. Lomax, president; Rev. J. H. Randolph, Miss G. Evans, of Chillicothe; E. Thornton, of Wilmington, president of the annual convention; H. Miller, of Massieville; Miss E. Smith, of Athens; Miss Effie Bryant, of Ironton; Rev. Ferry, of Floyd county, Va.; Rev. Omer, of Akron.

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DROWNED IN A BATH TUB.

Sad Ending of Jas. M. Crichton the Commission Man—Fell Over With Heart Disease.

News of the sad drowning of J. M. Crichton, the Cincinnati commission and live stock broker, was received by friends in this city Saturday evening. Sunday's Enquirer contained the following particulars:

"About 11 o'clock yesterday morning Mr. J. M. Crichton entered the Elm street bath house, at 19, Elm street, to take a sulphur bath. After being there about an hour, John De Witt and William Wagner, attaches of the place, broke open the door of the bathroom which Crichton had entered, and found him in the tub, which was full of water, on his face. He was hastily lifted out, but life was extinct. Just how he came to fall into the bath tub is a mystery. When found he was partially dressed, though he had evidently taken his bath. The supposition is that, while sitting on the edge of the tub dressing, he succumbed to heart failure and fell over backward, and, in striking the wall, turned over and fell on his face. Patrol No. 3 was called and removed the dead man to the morgue and Coroner Herr was notified. From the effects found of the body it was learned that the man's name was Crichton. He was about 40 years of age, and with his son conducted the Queen City Commission House on West Court street, near Vine. He lived with his family at Maplewood, on the C. H. & D. He was quite well to do. He was also a member of the Stock Yards Company."

Mr. Crichton was born and raised in Scioto county, and the sad news of his drowning falls as a heavy shock to hundreds of his old friends here. He was a nephew of Wm. Crichton, the well known Wheelersburg farmer, with whom he made his home for many years, his parents dying when he was quite young.

He was book-keeper at Howard and Ohio furnaces for a number of years. About ten years ago he moved to Cincinnati and became a member of the live stock commission house of Conner, Hughes & Crichton. The firm was afterwards known as Crichton & Hughes, but about two years ago, after the disastrous fire in the Union stock yards, Mr. Crichton retired from the live stock business, and with his son, opened out a general commission house and was doing an excellent business.

He leaves an interesting family of wife and four children. He has a brother, Earnest, who lives in Oregon.

The remains were brought here today and will be interred in the Crichton family cemetery at Wheelersburg.

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The Twelfth of a Wonderful Series of Festivals.

The Treat in Store for Musicians at Cincinnati This Month—Reopening of Music Hall—Some of the Noted Musicians Who Have Been Engaged for This Season.

It is nearly a quarter of a century since the first May Musical Festival was held in Cincinnati. Everyone who has followed the progress of musical art in America knows something of the scope, the influence, the aims of the Cincinnati Festivals. They were the first product of the great movement that gave the city its famed Music Hall and its national reputation as a center of musical activity. Since then, they have been in the hands of a man who has given his life's work and his genius to leading the public to higher musical ideas, a man whose name will always be associated with the first great advance in the cultivation of musical art in America—Theodore Thomas. At these Festivals many of the great singers of the world have been first heard in America. A glance at the twelve Festival programs shows a standard of musical effort unsurpassed even by the great Festivals of the mother country, after which our Festivals may be said to be patterned. The Festival Chorus had long been recognized as an important factor of music in the West. But what has distinguished the Cincinnati Festivals from the many that have been held on somewhat similar lines in various American cities since 1873 has been the strength of the orchestral forces. Many cities have organized choruses capable of admirable work, and have employed eminent soloists, but Cincinnati alone has had a permanent orchestra under one conductor. Without bedimming for an instant the faithful work of the chorus, the artistic success of the Cincinnati Festivals owes much to this fact. The orchestra, instead of being gathered here and there for festival purposes, has been permanently under Mr. Thomas' direction, and will number one hundred and twenty-five men at the coming Festival.

The Festival of '96 makes an important step in the history of music. The third Festival in '78 opened the great Music Hall, endowed by Reuben R. Springer, and first brought into use the famous organ. The twelfth Festival finds its home in a hall that meets the newest ideas of architectural properties as fully as did the old hall in its day. The interior of the old hall has been rebuilt at a cost of over one hundred thousand dollars, and the dedication has been rightly left or the great enterprise that has always been associated with it. The directors of the Association and Mr. Thomas naturally felt that the Twelfth Festival and the dedication of the new hall should, in a measure, be a climax to the great musical events that have preceded it. To that end they have engaged the strongest array of soloists, perhaps, ever heard at an American Festival. The permanent chorus has been carefully drilled for the past two years under the direction of Mr. W. L. Blumenschein. Everything in short, points to a Festival that will prove memorable in the annals of the Association of the West.

The attractive programmes, selected by Mr. Thomas for the Twelfth Festival, are thoroughly representative of the Association's aim. The classic oratorio is represented by Handel's "Judas Maccabaeus," which opens the Festival, while the modern school is illustrated by Tinel's "St. Francis," one of the few great works of its kind that has been published in this decade, and one of his rare modern works that can be said to uphold the school of classic oratorio.

One of the most interesting of Mr. Thomas' selections is the "Sacred Opera" of "Samson and Delilah," undoubtedly the most enduring work of Saint Saens. "Samson and Delilah" has been known to concert goers principally through its solo numbers, especially the well-known contralto aria "Mon coeur a ta ovix." It was brought out in operatic form some three seasons ago in Paris and was given for the first time in this country in February, 1895, by the Metropolitan Opera Company in New York.

Festival patrons will rejoice to find that the immortal choral symphony of Beethoven, in which this Festival chorus has achieved some of its greatest triumphs, has been included in this years' program. Goring Thomas' charming cantata, "The Swan and the Skylark" is to be classed among the compositions new to Festival audiences. It will be noticed that prominence is given to Wagner. The strong hold the music of Wagner has upon the American public is due to Theodore Thomas more than to any one man. In his days when Wagner was not understood, Mr. Thomas rarely gave a concert without at least one Wagner number, regardles of the attack of the then all-powerful enemies of Wagnerian art.

With the magnificent Thomas orchestra of 125 pieces and three singers who have won the highest honors at Bayreuth, the Festival is enabled to give Wagner numbers as they have rarely been heard on concert programmes before.

It will be noticed that with one exception all his soloists are English speaking singers. Yet two of the latter have astonished the world by their work in the Wagnerian music drama, viz: Mme. Lillian Nordica and Miss Marie Brema. Frau Klafsky is of course recognized among his trusty interpretors of Wagnerian roles.

Among his orchestral numbers, which are confined largely to his afternoon concerts, attention is called to Dvorak's Symphony "From the New World," the most important composition ever written in America; the Symphony "Parthetique" of Tschaikowsky and the stupendous Overture "1812" by the same composer. Among his orchestral novelties is a work by Richard Strauss, the most prominent representative of the strictly modern German schools.

The Cincinnati Musical Festival Association issue an illustrated pamphlet, containing portraits of the soloists, the programmes in detail, with some account of the works to be performed, and diagrams of Music Hall. Copies of these pamphlets amy be had by addressing The C. M. F. A., Room 60, Pike Building, Cincinnati, O. With the aid of the diagrams ladies and gentlemen living at a distance from Cincinnati may select seats, and they, or seats near them, will be reserved by W. N. Hobart, President, 60 Pike Building, Cincinnati, O., to whom all orders and remittances should be made.

The transportation companies will sell tickets to the Festival at reduced rates.

OBITUARY.

CHILD OF JAMES CRAYTON.

The eight months' old child of James Crayton, of West Fifth street, died Sunday afternoon of inanition. The remains will be interred tomorrow morning.

CHILD OF CHAS. T. WALKER.

The infant child of Charles T. Walker, of the corner of Mill and Bond streets, died Saturday evening. The remains were buried yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence.

FRANK MONTAVON.

Another child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Montavon, who live at the corner of Eighth and Court streets, succumbed to that dread disease, diphtheria yesterday, their little son, Frank, dying at half-past 3 o'clock. This is the second child they have lost within a week. The remains were buried this morning. The parents have the sympathy of all in their bereavements.

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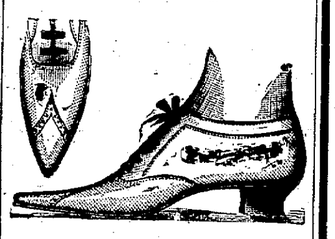
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PRESENTS

Judge Dever Distributed a Few of Them This Morning.

Two Prominent Men and One Woman Get Three Year Offices.

Three Dissatisfied Parties Draw Divorces—One Young Fellow Gets a Year in the Pen and Others Receive Minor Gifts—The Sheriff's Lively Experience and Other Doings at the County Temple of Justice.

Judge Dever resumed work in Common Pleas court this morning after a rest of several days.

He made two important entries in the docket this morning, one reappointing Mrs. Louise Balmert and L. H. Murphy members of the board of county visitors for three years each, and the other reappointing Hon. R. H. Hayman member of the county tax commission for three years.

The Farmers' Bank of Manchester filed suit against Henry Oursler on a note given October 3, 1895, and judgment was given on warrant of attorney for $394.15.

This afternoon tales of woe were recited by two dissatisfied wives who sought legal separation from faithless husbands. Emma Bocox, of Haverhill, wanted a divorce from Albert Bocox, and Bessie Mitchell, of this city, wanted the same from William C. Mitchell. The ground in both cases was desertion and wilful absence for more than three years. Neither case was contested and both got the desired papers. Bannon & Bannon were attorneys for both the women.

John C. Hirst, whose suit for divorce was partially tried a week ago, brought in additional witnesses today, proved his claims and got his divorce.

TO MAKE A JUDGE.

Capt. N. W. Evans, chairman of the committee to arrange for the circuit judicial convention here June 24th, appeared before the commissioners with a request for the use of the court room for the convention. The convention will bring 106 delegates here and it is the intention to hold the convention in the court room. The committee promised to leave the room in as good shape as they get it and the commissioners granted them permission to use it.

A SERIOUS CHARGE.

Edward Magne was landed in jail Sunday evening on a charge of rape. It will be remembered that Sarah McClintock filed affidavits against Magne and a young man named Dever several weeks ago. Dever was arrested at the time but Magne skipped out. Constalbe Ed. Rogers caught him in Madison township and he was arranged Sunday before 'Squire Searl, who bound him over under $800 bond. The affidavit against him is for assaulting and carnally knowing her forcibly and against her wish.

A LIVELY TRIP.

Sheriff Rickey had a lively experience in taking C. W. Taylor to the Athens Insane Asylum Saturday. The unfortunate boy's father went with them and proved more of a charge to the sheriff than his insane son. The old man got gloriously full before leaving and refreshed his jag at Athens, running up an account in the sheriff's name while the latter was asleep. At Hamden the old man slipped away and got on a train bound for Cincinnati. The sheriff telegraphed ahead and had the old man sent back on the next train, and finally got him home safe and sound.

THE JUDGE'S NOTES.

Citizens' Savings and loan Association vs. Harry Miller, settled at defendants costs.

Anna Treat vs. Martha Enright et al, settled and costs paid.

Jackson McCoy vs. John Glassburn, leave to answer in 30 days and continued.

Application of trustees of Barden M. E. church to mortgage property, dismissed at costs of applicants.

John Sullivan vs. Rosinna Richter; J. S. Dodge appointed guardian ad litum for Arthur H. Nolder, and answer filed. Partition ordered, Geo. Spencer, A. Kress and R. Humphrey, commissioners, returned forthwith.

ONE YEAR IN THE PEN.

Louis Day, who pleaded guilty to the charge of forging Mrs. Schwab's name to an order on Fisher & Sreich, was this morning sentenced to one year in the penitentiary. He will be taken to that institution within a few days.

HE GAVE BOND.

William Snyder, who has been in jail on a charge of bastardy, gave bond and was released Saturday.

A SUIT FOR $33.24.

Lipman Pakula, through his attorney, Ed. K. Walsh, has filed suit against George and Nellie Boldman to recover on a note for $33.24, given August 21, 1894. He also asks for foreclosure of mortgage given to secure the note.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Frank J. Neu, age 23, Portsmouth; Anna W. Hoberg, age 21, Portsmouth.
Albert Detwiller, age 29, Otway; Maggie Newland, age 22, Otway.

Broke Side Rods.

Engine No. 2, on east-bound C. P. & V. passenger train No. 41, due here at 12:05, broke her side rods near the Dry Run trestle yesterday morning, delaying the train forty-five minutes.

The Preliminary Meeting.

The first meeting to arrange for the Scottish Reformation entertainment will be held in the gymnasium of the Y. M. C. A. Wednesday evening after prayer meeting.

A Bicycle Trip.

Herb Summers left this morning for a three weeks' Eastern trip. Upon his return he and Mrs. Summers will ride to the latter's home in McConnellsville, O., on their bicycles.

Contractors Busy.

W. W. Donaldson, the genial contractor who did the excellent work on the new Damarin block, informs us that business in that line is looking right up and the prospects for an extraordinarily busy season, are good. The same is indicated by the large amount amount of building that is already under way.

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FRAGMENTS.

Hempstead academy met this afternoon.

The river is rising a little, mark shows 15 feet.

Board of health meets tonight. New officers are to be elected.

John Zeisler, bookkeeper at the Levi liquor store, is quite ill, with nervous prostration.

There will be a stereopticon entertainment at the Findlay street church Thursday evening.

Mrs. John Lillich has sold her property at the corner of Tenth and Findlay streets to George Berthold.

Twenty-four members of the cycle club rode to Henry Springs and return yesterday. They had a good time.

L. W. Mann has sold his Pond Run farm and will return to Cripple Creek, Col., his old home. He left for the West today.

Thos. Connorton, of Huntington, W. Va., enroute to Urbana, was taken sick on the N. & W. train this morning and stopped off here. Dr. Pixley relieved him.

Wm. Gillett, the photographer is talking of moving his gallery to Chicago. He has an excellent offer to go into partnership with a well known photographer of that live town.

IN KENTUCKY.

A Crowd of Young People Spent Yesterday Very Pleasantly Picnicking.

Miss Annie Colvin and a crowd of her young lady and gentlemen friends spent yesterday very pleasantly picnicking in Kentucky, the party being gotten up in honor of Miss Colvin's guests, Miss Mollie Gibson, of Covington Ky. Those in the crowd were Misses Colvin, Gibson, Myrtle Burke, Jennie Woods, Hattie Garrison, Minnie Neary, Alice Highland, Ida Rehlman, Louise Duplam, Kittie Jones, Jennie Garrison, Mame Wagner, Jesse Beck, Otto Lauffer, Chas. Ayers, Peter Houser, Joe Bratt, Chas. McAfee, Sam McAfee, B. G. Ladd, Glenn Price and Harvey Trimmer.

SUDDENLY

Death's Summons Came to William Eagan Varner Yesterday

Morning About Nine O'clock—He Was Sitting on the Bed Talking When He Gasped and Fell Over Dead—A Member of the Firm of Sanford, Varner & Co.—Sketch of His Life.

The many friends of Mr. Will Varner were shocked and saddened yesterday morning by the announcement of his death, which occurred very suddenly about nine o'clock. Mr. Varner had not been in good health since his wife died, two years ago, and had been in particularly poor health during the past two or three months. For the past ten days he was confined to the house. His trouble was principally due to an affection of the heart. Last Wednesday and Thursday Mr. Varner's condition was considered dangerous, but he rallied, and from that time apparently improved rapidly. Saturday he was feeling splendidly and made arrangements to go out driving Thursday of this week, sending out in the country for his horse. Sunday morning he was feeling even better than on Saturday, and was sitting on the side of his bed about 9 o'clock, chatting with his physician, Dr. Hall, his sistor, Mrs. Bessie Adams, and his brother-in-law, Mr. A. L. Sanford. Suddenly Mrs. Adams noticed her brother gasping for breath. Her exclamation caused Dr. Hall to leap to his side, but in that brief space the spirit had fled. William Egan Varner was dead.

Mr. Varner was born in this city forty-one years ago last August, being the son of Samson E. Varner. He was associated with his father in the contracting and brick manufacturing business, and in connection with his brother, Frank F. Varner, succeeded to the business on the death of their father in 1876. In 1879, they took advantage of an opening to move the business to Texarkana, Texas. They continued in business there until 1890, when they returned to Portsmouth, where Will has since resided. Prior to his removal back to Portsmouth, Mr. Varner, in 1886, became a member of the firm of Sanford, Varner & Co, his brother, J. H. Varner and Mr. A. L. Sanford being the other members of the firm. They succeeded Towell, McFarland & Sanford. Upon his return to Portsmouth in 1890 Mr. Varner entered into active participation in the management of the business of Sanford, Varner & Co., and has since had charge of the manufacturing department.

He was married in 1876 to Miss Lizzie Burke, who died April 23d, 1894. To them were born three children, who survive—Mattie, aged 18; Sampson, aged 16, and Anna, aged 11. Three sisters and two brothers also survive. They are Mrs. Frank Brown, of Youngstown, who with her husband arrived today; Mrs. A. L. Sanford, Mrs. Sam Adams, J. H. Varner and Frank F. Varner.

Mr. Varner was a member of Christ Episcopal church practically all his life. He was also a member of Portsmouth lodge of Elks and of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, the latter a beneficiary organization.

Personally, Mr. Varner was a genial, whole-souled gentleman and always had a pleasant word and a smile for his friends. Expressions of regret at his death were heard on all sides. He was a man of strict integrity and stood high in business circles, and by his death Portsmouth loses a good citizen.

The funeral will be held from the late residence of the deceased on East Fourth street tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. A. R. Taylor will conduct the services.

Will Become a Missionary.

It is understood that Miss Julia Tappan, daughter of Rev. Dr. D. S. Tappan, of the First Presbyterian church, has decided to enter the missionary field, and will prepare herself for work in China. She came to a decision during the recent missionary convention in this city.

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ON THE WAR PATH

Jesse White Terrorizes the Entire Population of Sciotoville.

Paraded the Streets With a Shot Gun and Ran Things to Suit Himself—Arrested After a Lively Fight With the Sheriff—A Terror to the Whole Town—Crazed by Drink.

Sheriff Rickey received a telegram Sunday afternoon stating that Jesse White was on the war path at Sciotoville and urging him to come immediately. The sheriff knew what that meant, and with Deputy David Bennett left post haste. Arriving there he found that the notorious Jesse had terrorized the entire village and hardly a citizen could be found who was not shaking in his boots. The sheriff found his man walking up the main street of the village swearing all sorts of dire calamities if the officers attempted to arrest him. The sheriff, however, informed him that there was an arrest to be made and that Jesse White was the man about to be arrested. He made good his word, too, but not until there had been as lively a tussle as the two big, strong men could put up. White came out of the scrap with a badly bruised up face, while the sheriff escaped without a scratch. Half the residents of the town were on the street and witnessed the affair. The officers hired a buggy and drove their prisoner to New Boston, where they took the street car. White was boisterous on the way down and at times it looked as though the fight would be repeated. After he got here he insisted on going back and having a hearing right away. The officers finally took him back and roused 'Squire Searl at midnight. The 'Squire refused to hold a midnight session and the prisoner was brought back to jail. There he again became unmanageable and refused to be locked up. The sheriff thought he would humor him and hand-cuffed him to a steam pipe and left him. He had hardly gotten in bed when a most frightful noise brought him in a hurry to the office, where the prisoner had fallen off his chair and was struggling on the floor, securely fastened to the pipe. He said he was willing to be locked up.

Residents of Sciotoville say that White has been on a big drunk since last Thursday. On Friday he abused his wife and drove her from home. She took shelter at the home of a friend, Zack Beloat. Sunday, White crazed with continued drink, started after her. He armed himself with a shot-gun and there was a general scattement as he paraded the streets yelling, cursing and threatening. The gun was finally discharged, White says accidentally, but the citizens were now thoroughly alarmed and telegraphed for help, with the results above started. White has for years been a terror to the town and has run things there to suit himself, regardless of the law or the officers. He has threatened to kill half the population, to blow 'Squire Searl up with dynamite, etc., and told the sheriff when arrested that there would be a murder there when he was released. He had sworn that he would die before the sheriff ever took him. In fact his threats have been fearful and general and he has succeeded in scaring about half the population out of their wits. The immediate charge against him is a warrant to keep the peace. He was taken to Sciotoville this afternoon to answer to that charge. It is probable that several other charges will be filed.

Portsmouth Firms Leads.

Not only is there a strong demand for artisans in every line at home, but other cities are coming to Portsmouth for work in the various lines. E. S. Jenkins & Co., this morning dispatched a large crew of workmen to Ironton to put in a heating job of no mean proportions, and will send another crew to Riverton Kentucky in a few days to put in the heating aparatus in the offices of the E. K. Railroad Co., at that place. This speaks well for the reputation and enterprise of Portsmouth firms and Portsmouth artisians. People are taking advantage of the low prices of iron to rush their work before the raise.
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The First Century Run.

To Dan Davis and Dan Conroy belongs the honor of riding the first century of the season. They started out Sunday morning, Davis on a Warwick and Conroy on the Sterling, and made direct for Chillicothe, arriving there in plenty of time for dinner. They returned to Portsmouth about 7 o'clock in the evening, the century having been covered without mishap or accident of any sort.

An Invitation.

Come people all with one accord
And listen while I tell,
Where you may go this Monday night,
At the 7:30 bell
And find a feast of motley sort,
All pleasing you right well.
At Sixth street church the place is found,
Come for a pleasant time,
Just fifteen cents will let you in,
You get out for a dime!

Some Good Substitutes.

Prof. B. A Eisenlohr and Mr. Harry Hibbs have kindly consented to take Mr. Lou Sanford's parts at the dramatic performance on next Friday evening. Make your plans to attend this fine theatrical entertainment as it is for the benefit of the Home for Aged Women.

Notice to Water Consumers.

Water tax is due and payable May 1st. A discount of five per cent. will be allowed on or before May 25th. No accounts against renters will be kept, and in all cases will the property be held for the water tax. By order of the board. THOS. S. HALL, Sec.

Are You Hungry.

All fresh and delicions, strawberries pine apples, oranges, lemons, bananas, radishes, rhubarb, boild ham, and a full fresh and complete line of general groceries at J. J. Brusharts.

Karl's Clover Root Tea

Is a sure cure for headache and nervous diseases. Nothing relieves so quickly. For sale by Amann's Pharmacies.

BASE BALL.

Yesterday's Results.

Cincinnati	5	*Chicago	16
*Louisville	3	St. Louis	7

*Where game was played.

How the Clubs Stand.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Per Ct.
Pittsburg	9	2	.818
Philadelphia	8	4	.667
Boston	8	4	.667
Chicago	8	5	.615
Cincinnati	7	5	.583
Washington	7	5	.583
Brooklyn	6	6	.500
Cleveland	5	5	.500
St. Louis	6	7	.462
Baltimore	4	6	.400
New York	2	10	.167
Louisville	1	12	.77

Today's Games.

Boston at Cincinnati.
Washington at Cleveland.
Baltimore at Pittsburg.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
New York at Louisville.
Brooklyn at Chicago.

For result of today's game, consult DAILY TIMES Bulletin Boards at
Jas. Riley's, 1007 Chillicothe street.
E. Hermann, 617 Chillicothe street.
Jas. Staley, 408 Chillicothe street.
H. Ruel, West Second street.
John Dougherty 100 West Second.

AFTER HAINES

The Trustees of Clay Township Accuse Him of Carrying Away a Street.

The trustees of Clay township were after S. L. Haines, the East End broom-maker, this morning, accusing him of trying to carry off one of the streets of the Holcomb & Skelton addition. The street in question was Grandview avenue. It seems that Mr. Haines was in need of some dirt, and accordingly began digging up the avenue and hauling the dirt to one of his lots in the city. He had made a big hole in the avenue when the trustees ordered Constable Wear to order him to desist. The residents of the hill were very indignant.

COCOA RECEPTION.

You Are Invited to Call at G. W. Anderson & Sons' Store.

We invite you to call at our cocoa booth at the front of the store. Young ladies in costume are dispensing Walter Baker & Co.'s delicious cocoa free to all. Each lady who visits us before Tuesday night will be presented with a souvenir can of cocoa and a beautifully illustrated book of receipts free of charge. No purchase is necessary to secure this treat. Come early before the cans of cocoa are all given away.
G. W. ANDERSON & SON.

The Reading Club.

The next meeting of the Portsmouth Reading club will be held May 12 instead of May 5, and will be entertained by Mrs. Mary Lewis at her home on Gallia street.

An eleagnt line of ladies' and men's shoes, just received at Kendall's.

For Dyspepsia.

And liver complaint you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. It never fails to cure. For sale by Amann's Pharmacies.

HERMS Dry Goods Co.
Monday Morning May 4th.

Store Closes Today at 6

A Coat of Varnish
--on--
A New Floor

Doesn't make a store, but you judge a store by its surroundings. BETTER STORE-KEEPING each day will make a store grow.

New Cotton Wash Stuffs

This morning's express brings us another large assortment of Prize Winners in Printed
DIMITIES and CAMBRICS
in swell stripes and Persian Effects. Our price on these will be 12½c, which is 2½c less than you'll find them at in a day's travel.

Zephyr Ginghams
At 6c Yard.

It doesn't seem possible that Zephyr Ginghams can be sold at 6c yard. They can't if cost or value is considered. You don't care whose loss it is so it's not your loss. The makers of these made too many.

Hermsdorf Hose

The Expected Happens. When you were persuaded to take the "just as good" as Hermsdorf Dye Fast Black Hose. You won't be persuaded to accept the "just as good" the next time, you'll insist on getting the Hermsdorf dye. For Ladies 12½c up.
For Children 15c up.

The Herms Dry Goods Co.

WANTED—Boy for errands, etc. Call at the Parisian Cloak and Novelty Co.

FOUND—Lady's cape at the Parisian Cloak and Novelty Co's store, Saturday. Owner will please call and receive same.

FOR RENT—House on West Second street. Inquire of Mrs. Jennie Rais, 423 North Waller street.

RIVER CITY'S NEW HOME.

Labold Block, Chillicothe Street.

THE RIVER CITY BUSINESS COLLEGE is now pleasantly located in its elegant New Home where it shall be pleased to receive the visits of its many patrons and friends. Don't hesitate to come. You are always WELCOME. You will beyond doubt pronounce our Modern Equipped School the finest you have ever seen. Oh, Yes! Here are our NEW HOME prices: 50 lessons in Penmanship $1.00; Book-keeping or Shorthand courses $5.00 a month. Remember the place and be sure to see us.

G. W. MOOTHART, President.

The Cleveland Bicycle

Is built for service. It's a business man's bicycle. It has also shown itself to be speedy. Ride a Cleveland and be content.

Stahler Bros.,
Third and Market.

THE PEOPLE FOUND OUT

That we have the best stock and most complete line of Wall Paper, Borders and Mouldings. We offer for next week only 12½c and 10c Gilt Wall paper at 8½c, fine patterns. Window Shades and Curtain Poles just received, cheap. Wall Cleaner 25c only. Stop and see us.

Schloss & Co., 414 Chillicothe Street.

YOU CAN MAKE

Your dollars go a long way by bringing them to us.
Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests, plain, 5c, a surprising good article for the price.
Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests, trimmed neck and sleeves, 8c.
Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests, trimmed neck and sleeves, extra good, 10c.
Ladies' Fine Ribbed Vests, nice quality in beached, 10c and 15c.
Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests, best quality of Maco Cotton, 12½c, 15c, 20c and 25c.
Children's Gauze Vests, trimmed neck, 10c to 35c, according to size.
Infant's Fine Ribbed Vests in cotton and fine merino.
Gentlemen's light weight Jersey Ribbed Shirts and Drawers at 25c each.
Gentlemen's Fine Derby Ribbed Shirts and Drawers at 50c each.
Gentlemen's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, a good garment for extreme hot weather, at 25c each.
Gentlemen's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, a nice medium quality at 37½c each.
Gentlemen's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, extra good, the celebrated Otis brand, at 50c each.

CLEMENS BROS.
305 Chillicothe Street.

EIGHT BARS OF LENOX, ACME OR STAR SOAP FOR 25 CENTS.

Home Grocery Store,
Phone 212. 612 Chillicothe St.

THE NEWEST AND BRIGHTEST

Thing under the sun will be your house if you come to us this Spring for your PAINT.

F. A. Glockner,
186 West Second St.

DO YOU KNOW THAT FULLER BROTHERS

Sell Matting very cheap.
Carpet Beaters, a useful article for beating carpets.
Jardenier stands from 90 cents up.
Easels and Pictures.
Curtain Stretchers.
Lawn Settees for $1.50. They fold up and are easy to handle.
A new line of Baby Carriages just in.
Bed Room Suits cheaper than any place in the city.
It pays to trade with

FULLER BROS.
126 West Second St.

It's Always Nonsensical

To sacrifice quality for price. At our store low prices and high quality meet. Sensible persons will not allow themselves

To Be Married

To any particular store and miss these bargains.
Lace collars, all styles, all colors, 75c to $1.75.
Shirt Waists, large sleeves 50c.
Derby Table Covers, $1 00 to $1.25.
Silk Mitts 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c.
Ladies' and Children's Undervests 5c to 25c.
Palm Leaf Fans 3 for 5c. These

In Summer

Furnish a health resort at home, the more exercise, the more breeze.

K. MILLER'S,
711 Chillicothe St.
The Cheap Cash Store.

We have just placed on our tables a new and complete line up-to-date

Spring Suits

Of the newest designs that we are offering at special prices.

These Bargains can only be appreciated when seen. You are welcome to look us through.

Remember these Suits are fresh from the presser's irons. They are not old and shop worn stuff.

Every garment guaranteed to fit and up to date or your money back.

J. EISMAN & CO.

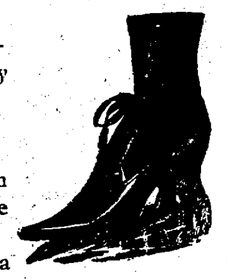
The Wide-Awake Clothiers and Up-to-Date Haberdashers

See our Nobby
STRAW HATS
and new ideas in
NECKWEAR.

OX BLOOD AND TANS

We have just received a new lot of Ladies' 20th Century Polish and Oxfords made on the latest style Razor Toes. The Ox Blood in a new color and they are undoubtedly THE THING.





In the tan color the proper shade is a dark chocolate and we have it, of course. High cuts at $3.00 and $2.50. Oxfords at $2.50 and $2.00.

ANDERSON BROS.,
603 Chillicothe Street.

THE ECONOMY OF INDUSTRY

Saves many dollars for the wearers of sample shoes in the shoe market.

Our purchasing capacity and ability to pay cash reflect when the buyer of Sample Shoes secures superior values for inferior prices. A merchant expecting to forestall competition must first do it in buying, for the advantage there gained must appear in the selling.

Special Leaders in Our Store.

Ladies' Tan Lace, Razor Toe $3.00 value	$2.00	Ladies' Tan Lace or Spring Heel, extra value	$1.50
Ladies' 20th Century Tan Lace Shoes	$2.99	Ladies' Dongola Button Shoes solid leather	99c
A complete assortment Misses' and Children's Tan and Black Shoes.		Misses' Lace and Button, Tan and Black, special drive	99c

THE SELECTION of Footwear from our stock may be difficult, but that's because there are so many varied styles to select from. In addition to our extraordinary inducements we are giving away $50 IN GOLD. A guess with each purchase.

THE SAMPLE SHOE CO.
517 Chillicothe Street. Opposite Postoffice.
Store Open Every Evening.

Steahly Bros.

Warm Weather Goods!

You are doubtless now interested in Summer Underwear, and if so you can be supplied at our store with any kind you want, as our new stock of Ribbed has just been received at tempting prices, 5c, 8½c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c.

Gent's Underwear.

Balbriggan, two qualities, 50c a suit and $1.00 a suit.
Our stock of Embroideries and White Goods is complete. Wash Goods in the latest novelties. Don't forget us when you are looking for a Wool Dress.

STEAHLY BROS.,
313 Chillicothe Street. Between Third and Fourth Sts.